

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A security device locks to a display structure such as a pegboard or
slatboard to prevent the rapid removal of merchandise from the display structure
by preventing the rapid removal of the entire security device. The security
device includes a base and a rod with the base having locked and unlocked
positions. The unlocked position of the base allows the security device to be
removed from the display structure. The locked position of the base prevents
the security device from being removed. The security device includes a lock that
holds the base in the locked position. A key may be used to unlock the base.
Customers may remove items of merchandise from the security device while the
lock and base are in their locked positions.